

## Message Text

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EO 11652: N/ A

TAGS: ETRD, GATT

SUBJ: GATT CHAIRMAN OF WORKING PARTY ON EC- NORWAY AGREEMENT

1. SECRETARIAT PROPOSES TOMIC, MINISTER OF YUGOSLAV MISSION RESPONSIBLE FOR GATT MATTERS, AS CHAIRMAN OF SUBJECT WP. SINCE BATISTA, CHAIRMAN OF OTHER EC- EFTA WORKING PARTIES, IS TO BE TRANSFERRED FROM GENEVA ( TO BRASILIA) THIS SUMMER, HE WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AND IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT WHOEVER IS SELECTED FOR EC- NORWAY WP POST WILL ALSO INHERIT THESE CHAIRMANSIPS.

2. WHILE WE HAVE NOT SEEN TOMIC AS CHAIRMAN, HE IS KNOWLEDGEABLE AND SEEMS AT LEAST REASONABLY COMPETENT AND UNBIASED. YUGOSLAV NATIONAL POSITION IS NO LIABILITY FROM US STANDPOINT. HENCE WE PROPOSE TO AGREE IF WASHINGTON HAS NO OBJECTION. WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE SOONEST SINCE SECRETARIAT HOPES TO COMPLETE CANVASS IN ADVANCE OF MY 29 COUNCIL MEETING. BASSIN  
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